

TIRED BUSINESS MEN FIND AMPLE RECREATION HERE

Business Men's Class at "Y"
Finds Men of Affairs Entering into Hearty Fun of Plain Play

"One, two, three, four, one, two, three, four," is the count conducted in a drowsing voice that will enter the curiosity of a stranger who enters the Phoenix Y. M. C. A. any weekday at noontime.

The "Y." boy's curiosity is aroused sufficiently to induce him to follow the direction of that chanting voice which is accompanied by the clapping of hands, it will lead him to the gymnasium where he will observe a group of thirty-odd men going through the setting-up drills and other forms of calisthenics constructed to good health and physical development.

First glance tells the stranger that these are not the little-limbed, muscular youths he expected to see, but men ranging up to 50 years old, many with hair streaked with gray and representative of every type of manhood, thin and tall, short and fat. Suddenly their leader calls "Halt," and they produce from some mysterious recesses stretching from neck to waist, sticks chosen and a volley ball thrown into play. Soon the air resounds with the shouts of the players and the spectator wonders whether they are really as old as they appear. Slapping the ball with lusty swings and entering into the spirit of the game, all the zest and enthusiasm of young boys are manifested in the game until time is called by the leader. Then ensue arguments about the respective merits of the various players.

This is the business men's class of the Y. M. C. A. and their leader is R. E. Dingman, physical director of the Y.

There in the gymnasium of the "Y" gathered men representing every walk in life, morning, evening and

Friday evenings at 5:30 to take part in physical exercises and games; to relax from the dull grind of everyday business life; to add flesh to the thin frame and, in other instances, to reduce the bulge at the waistline.

The business men's class is composed of clerks, engineers, doctors, lawyers, preachers, real estate operators, teachers and managers. But you would never think that one of them followed any of the above professions if you saw how they acted in the "gym." For as soon as they get into their "gym" suits they become school boys again and forget all about it.

Conversation on subjects of business is tabooed at these class gatherings and every man present gives himself unreservedly to the setting-up drills, medicine ball exercises, callisthenics, volleyball and gymnastic games which are arranged for them by Physical Director Dingman.

After the exercises take the shower baths and swimming pool and then saunter forth in their street attire to attend the problems of life with renewed vigor and determination.

Physical Director Dingman is authority for the statement that "they're a fine bunch of guys." He said they were a little bit noisy at times, on one occasion being so much noise that court proceedings were included in the United States district court, presiding in the Federal building near the Y. M. C. A. The judge who was sitting at the trial ordered a court officer to go over to the Y. M. C. A. and tell "those kids to stop their noise." Upon his return to the courtroom the officer was forced to confess that "those kids" were the members of the business men's class holding their daily indoor track meet.

HANDS ACROSS SEA?

"HOPELESS!"—IAN HAY GLASTONBURY, son of Sir James English writer, says Americans and Englishmen will never understand each other. "The Americans talk to each other on trains," says he, "and the Englishman's one idea is to get a compartment to himself—Americans are friendly, Englishmen reserved."

Chas. Morton, Mgr.

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This year we have made arrangements with our growers for the largest supply of flowers that has ever been in Phoenix.

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ABOUT THE STATE

Cant Break Himself of Habit

TOUGHTON—"Until three years ago Allen A. English was elected president of several clubs, county and city, and served three terms, and nevertheless announced that he would again nominate for the same office again for the benefit of the Democratic primaries in Sept. next.

Mr. English has been a resident of the county for nearly 40 years, in fact since the formation of the sub-division. During his residence he has been a prominent member of the bar and until recently was also a member of residence society. For the last few years he has resided and officiated in Glendale.

Police Seek Alleged Forger

THOMASONE.—Surprise over \$300 from five victims during the past week for forgers of the name of his employer, a man named F. J. Jones is now being sought by Sheriff Jim McDonald and his deputies.

Jones, who has been in the employ of F. J. Jones for 14 years, garbaged and worked at the Fox Buchanan-Tamplin-Brown express line in some manner secured a number of checks on which the name of his employer was printed and proceeded to cash them promiscuously in Glendale, forging the name of Tamplin to the checks.—Prescott Journal.

Ask \$25,000 For Death of Boy

YUMA.—The case of Varela vs. Reid, was commenced yesterday in the superior court. The attorney for the defense had been waiting more than a week for the cause to be called, which had been held up because of the Hodges-District Auto Service case.

The suit is for \$25,000 damages for the killing of the plaintiff's boy, Frank Varela. Varela was working upon a storm gutter on Mr. Reid's ranch in the Yuma valley some time ago when the chain broke with the result that the boy fell on the storm gutter swinging around and hit young Varela in the stomach. He was immediately rushed to the Yuma hospital but in spite of medical aid died of his injury.

Some time later the suit was commenced by the boy's father to recover the sum of \$25,000 alleged to be the damages caused to the boy's death. The case will probably take the next two or three days.—Sun.

Arrest Alleged Hold-up Men

GLENDALE.—Stanley Parker and Nick Stasimowich were arrested yesterday morning charged with having held up a poker party Sunday night and relieving the players of about \$120 in cash. Lee Rayback, who is said to have been the last of the masked trio, left Monday night in the company of Phoenix in the company of a girl, a woman, in the Yuma valley, according to the police. Out-of-town authorities are now searching for him. The hold-up was one of the most daring and dramatic crimes perpetrated here for some time. The men in the party were lined up against the wall and one by one relieved of their cash. The complaint was signed by W. L. Martz and the prisoners were held in \$1,000 for their appearance before Judge H. H. Pratt Friday morning.—Record.

Court Upholds Tribal Judge

TUCSON.—The authority of an Indian tribal judge, within his own jurisdiction, was upheld yesterday by Judge William Sawtelle of the United States district court when he directed that a verdict of not guilty be returned against Juan Lopez and Luis Valdez, Apaches, charged with having broken into an Indian reservation, a violation of a federal statute. It appeared from the evidence that Lopez had eloped with the wife of another tribesman, Juan Mike, and the wronged husband, appealing to the tribal court of first instance, was awarded two cows as damages for the loss of his wife. Lopez appealed to the Indian court at Sacaton, which directed that Mike should return the cows to Lopez, and the latter, assisted by Valdez, represented himself of the cows, whereupon Mike charged them with larceny, but Judge Sawtelle held that Lopez and Valdez were only carrying out the orders of the tribal court at Sacaton and directed their acquittal.—Daily Star.

Plan New Men's Dormitory

WEDNESDAY.—Wednesday the board of regents of the university will meet for an all day session in the president's office. They will take a final vote on the granting of degrees to the more than three score of graduates this spring and will attend the honor as-

INJURY TO MONTANA ENDS SENSATIONAL MATCH; SAUER WINS

Los Angeles Grappler Rendered Unconscious by Heavy Falls—Match Had Gone 51 Minutes Without Either Gaining Fall

Phoenix most sensational wrestling bout was brought to a sensational conclusion shortly before 11 o'clock last night when Louis "Pete" Sauer, Los Angeles' movie star and wrestler, was rendered unconscious when he fell from a height of 10 feet.

Montana's head struck the wooden part of the stage, off the mat, the blow being clearly audible throughout the arena.

Dr. Kimball Rannister, who was at the ringside, conjectured a hurried examination of the injured man and pronounced him unable to continue.

Montana Had Edge

Montana took the aggressor at the outset and soon dominated in number of holds, but Sauer managed to keep his sense after a few minutes of hard work by the physician.

From start to finish the bout was a succession of thrills, each succeeding one being more spectacular, it seemed, than the one preceding.

Yukon Hammon of Phoenix Wins Two in Three Falls from Terrible Term

Yukon Hammon of Phoenix was the first faller from Terrible Term, the second and third falls and wins.

A fast four-round boxing exhibition between Elroy McAllan and Mystery Man, Billy Smith was declared a draw by Referee Jake Eschert. It was a real

five shillings a lot of money to give

match, both boys mixing it freely from for a sermon.—London Punch.

Montana may have suffered a slight reinjury on the shoulder, a minor peritonitis although this will not prevent him from competing again for several hours if he so desires during the match, it was said.

Sauers' loss cost him the victory, but he did not seem unduly affected by the fall.

For the second time in his career Sauer has been beaten by Montana, but in this case it was the reverse.

A Second Battling Nelson

A battle royal was fought in front of a large crowd at the Glendale Auditorium Saturday night. Battling Nelson, the world's greatest oil operator, and Battling Nelson, the oil tycoon, met in a 50-minute bout.

Both men are from West Virginia and are oil millionaires. Battling Nelson is the oil tycoon and Battling Nelson is the oil operator.

George Washington was not only the father of his countrymen, but was also the father of oil.

Washington stands at the head of the oil industry, and is the oil tycoon.

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